

Duty of clerk of commissioners.

Appeal in action by township trustees against supervisor.

Claim of land-owner for timber, gravel, &c.

Compensation of supervisors and township treasurer.

Original act as amended by this act to be submitted to justices and commissioners of Durham county for approval.

Act applicable only to Durham county. Conflicting laws repealed.

such tax-collector; and the clerk of the board of county commissioners, on or before the first Monday of October of each year, shall certify to the chairman of the board of township trustees of each township the amount of road tax for his township." In section twenty, in line thirteen, after the word "provided," strike out the remainder of said section and insert therefor the words, "either party may appeal as in other cases before a justice of the peace."

SEC. 5. That in section twenty-three strike out "county commissioners" wherever occurring and insert "township trustees," and in said section strike out the word "county" wherever occurring and insert the word "township"; and in line four of said section, after the word "regular," add, "or called." To section twenty-four add: "Provided, that if the number of supervisors in any township should not exceed two, the township trustees may make a special contract with said supervisor or supervisors for his compensation, and the township treasurer shall receive as commissioner the same commissions as now allowed to county treasurers." In line eight of said section strike out the word "county" and insert: "Township provides that the original act, with these amendments, shall be submitted to the board of magistrates and county commissioners at the June meeting in eighteen hundred and eighty-nine for their adoption or rejection; but if rejected the road fund of the several townships shall be used only for purposes of improving the public roads of the township to which it belongs, under the direction of the magistrates of the different townships."

SEC. 6. That this act shall apply only to the county of Durham.

SEC. 7. That all laws or parts of laws in conflict with [this] act are hereby repealed.

SEC. 8. That this act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

Ratified the 11th day of March, A. D. 1889.

## CHAPTER 425.

An act to correct a grant to certain land in Burke county.

*The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact :*

Grant to Benjamin Walker corrected.

SECTION 1. That whereas, a mistake was made in the calls of a grant to Benjamin Walker, it is hereby ordered that grant number sixty-four hundred and ninety-five be corrected as follows: That instead of the calls, "S. 28°, east one hundred and thirty poles with John Chapman's line to his southeast corner, then south 35°, east thirty-six poles to a chestnut oak," it shall read, "North 28°, east one hundred and thirty poles with John Chapman's line to his northeast corner, and thence north 35°, east thirty-six poles to a chestnut oak."

SEC. 2. That it shall be in force from and after its ratification.

Ratified the 11th day of March, A. D. 1889.